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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY DIRECTOR'S MEETING

The directors of the Chauvin Agricultural Society met in A. E. Keith's office Saturday, March 7th. President Dr. Folkins in the chair.

Minutes: The minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion of J. Tooth—E. A. Pitman were adopted.

Trees: Mr. Pitman reported that the committee thought it advisable to prepare the land for trees this year, by breaking fallow it next year, and plant the trees the following year.

Seed Fair: The seed fair committee reported that the fair had been held on February 28. That it had been found unnecessary to build any additional poultry crates and strongly advised that the present crates be put in the the exhibition immediately after the fall fair.

Grain: Mr. Petrie was the director in charge of the grains reports that judging was done in good time. That sales were better than in previous years; and suggested that the exhibitors be advised to be more careful in ticketing their exhibits.

Poultry: Mr. Ryall reported that he had had charge of the poultry section. That the exhibit was smaller than in previous years, but that the exhibitors had sold practically all their surplus stock.

Presidents Remarks: The president expressed his surprise that in a district where people were supposed to be interested in "better farming" that so few should exhibit at a fair whose purpose was to that end.

Report Prizewinners: It was also suggested that in giving the report of the fair to the press that more stress should be laid on the winners of sweepstakes, that some people did not realize that the sweepstakes in poultry meant the best birds over all breeds. Potatoes and grain the same, and to make a note of the exhibitors which were eligible to compete for the sweepstake.

Protest: Mr. Cubitt said he would like to have protested the decision on Marquis wheat, but as there was no rule in the prize list governing this, and as the judge was gone before he had a chance to examine the wheat. He suggested that in future a committee be appointed to deal with cases of this kind, and examine the score cards before the judge left the hall.

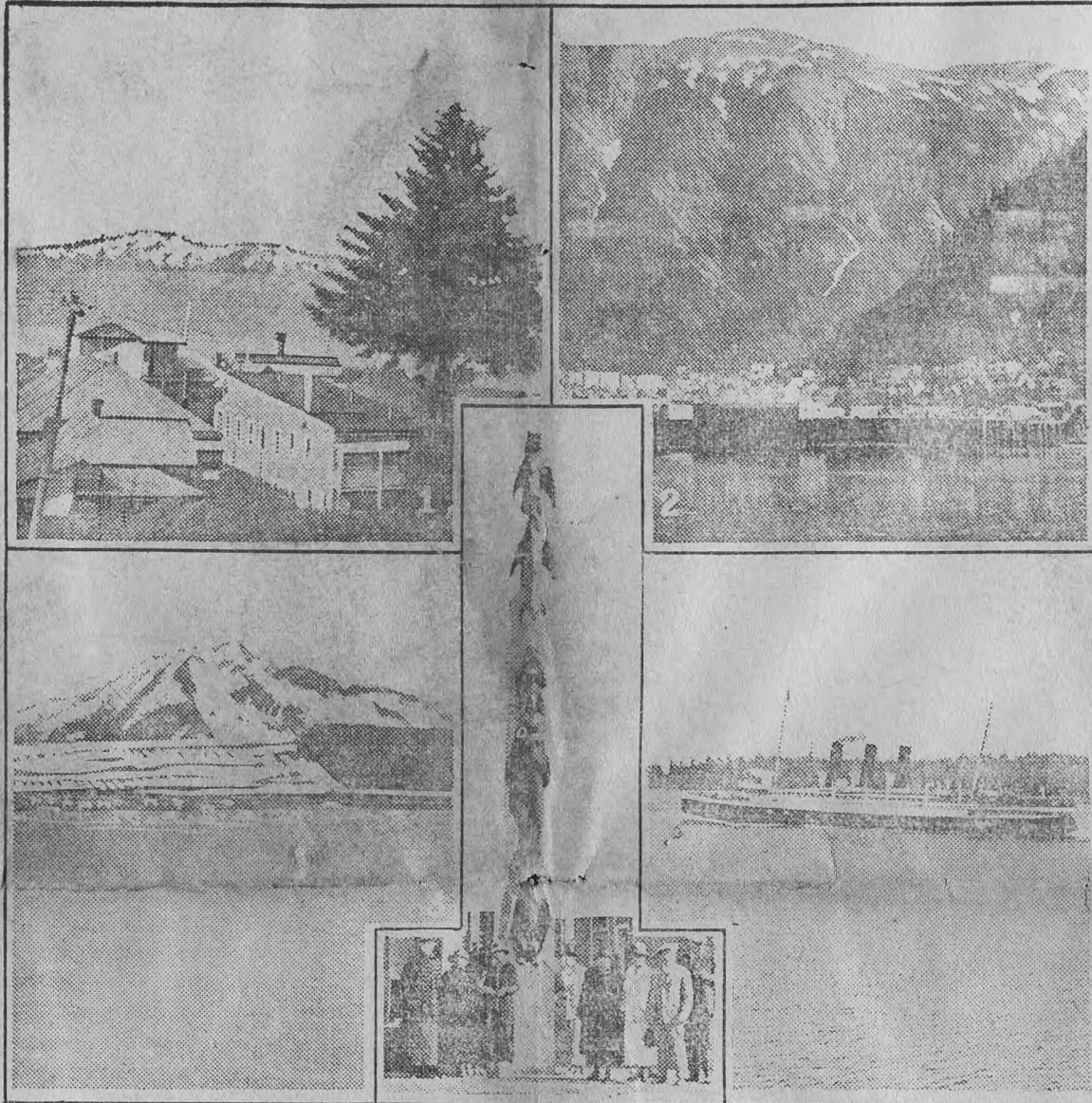
Vote of Thanks: Moved Mrs. Armour—Mrs. Folkins that the secretary send a letter of appreciation to Mrs. Windum for the efficient manner in which she judged the poultry. Carried.

Place of Meeting: President reported that Mr. Keith had promised to furnish more accommodation for the meeting.

President's Report: Moved Mrs. Armour—C. W. Ryall, that omis-

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CANADA'S NEW LINK WITH ALASKA



It is not many years since Alaska was one of those countries whose geographical location was indicated with a grandiloquent sweep of the arm northwards. It has always been a land of mystery, romance and adventure. It has provided the theme for the thrilling tales of novelists and the stirring poems of northern bards. But even though the days of the chechako and the sourdough is done, the brief but active span of the Dangerous Dan Magreys and the Lady Lou's, matters of historical reference, the lure of Alaska has not waned, but is as appealing as ever to the hearts of men and women wherein a bit of romance lurks, and that means to everyone.

Alaska is no longer a far off country. It is a very near neighbor to Canada. It will be even nearer this summer. Mr. J. E. Dalrymple, Traffic Vice-President of the Canadian National Railways, has announced that commencing on June 22nd, the company will inaugurate a weekly steamship service between Prince Rupert and Alaska and that the oil-burning steamships, "Prince George" and "Prince Rupert," which have already established a reputation as being among the best-appointed vessels on the Pacific Coast, will be engaged in this new service.

Going northward the ships will reach Prince Rupert at 10.30 on Wednesday morning, following the Monday of sailing from Vancouver, and tourists will be given an opportunity to see something of this new Pacific port, as the steamer

Some of the scenes along this magnificent sea voyage are shown in the photographs:

(1) A view of Skagway, Alaska, where visitors will be given ample time to see this famous town and also to visit White Horse and the Atlin Lake district.

(2) A beautiful sunset scene on the Lynn Canal, which the steamships Prince Rupert and Prince George will thread on their journey into the Land of the Midnight Sun.

(3) The Taku Glacier, one mile wide and ninety miles long—one of the largest and most beautiful glaciers in the world.

(4) The Prince Rupert, which, with the Prince George, will be used in the Vancouver-Prince Rupert-Alaska service this summer. These boats are oil-burners and are among the finest appointed vessels in the Pacific Coast service.

Inset is one of the curious totem poles to be found in the business section of Wrangell, Alaska.

does not continue on its northern trip until four o'clock that afternoon. After passing Old and New Metlakla and Port Simpson, an old Hudson's Bay Post, calls will be made at Ketchikan, a typical Alaskan town built at the foot of the mountains. Proceeding from that point the steamships will touch at Wrangell, beautifully situated near the mouth of the Stikine River and

possessing many associations with the period when Alaska was a Russian possession. The next point touched will be Juneau, the capital of Alaska, and a modern city with good motor roads and many points of interest, including the Mendenhall Glacier and mines which have made this country famous. On the way from Wrangell to Juneau there will be an opportunity to see the grandeur of Taku Inlet and the famous Taku Glacier, over a mile wide and 90 miles long.

The ships will arrive at Skagway at seven o'clock Friday morning and will remain there until seven o'clock Saturday night, thus giving ample opportunity to passengers to see this famous town and to visit White Horse and the Atlin Lake District. On the south-bound journey the steamers will reach Vancouver at nine o'clock Wednesday morning, making a complete ten-day round trip.

In addition to the Alaskan trip, the tri-weekly service between Vancouver and Prince Rupert will be maintained and also a semi-weekly service to Anyox and Stewart on the Portland Canal, which service has been in effect for some time past. The establishment by the Canadian National Railways of this Alaska steam-boat service will meet the demands of many tourists, and will be a fitting climax to the famous Triangle Four, comprising Jasper National Park, the Rockies, the Coast Range and the water voyage through the "Norway of America."

MUNICIPALITIES OF ALBERTA IN HIGH STANDING

Mr. L. B. Nicholson arrived back from the convention of municipal secretaries last Saturday. He reports having enjoyed a very helpful session at Calgary last Wednesday and Thursday. The convention being well attended, and the matters discussed being strictly relative to the secretarial work of the municipalities. Local secretaries in attendance were J. Dempsey of Vale; W. Ironfield of Sefton; J. Menzies of Wellington, and L. B. Nicholson of Merton.

Municipal districts of Alberta are in the best financial condition in the history of the province.

Sixty-eight municipal districts did not borrow for either school or municipal purposes last year.

Of the remaining 101 municipal districts, which did borrow, all but 29 re-paid the loans before the end of the year.

Twenty-seven municipal Districts had a cash surplus amounting to \$375,000 for last year.

These facts, constituting one of the most optimistic and encouraging reports issued in Alberta for several years, were disclosed by A. F. Fiddler, Inspector for department of municipal affairs, in a brief address before the secretaries of the municipal districts in convention at Calgary Thursday, March 19th.

"I never saw the municipal districts of Alberta in better shape than they are today," declared Mr. Fiddler, "and I doubt if they were ever in better condition, financially. Our report is not quite complete yet, but these figures I have quoted are some of the most outstanding. There will be other equally encouraging features contained in the full report.

Mr Fiddler expressed the opinion that municipalities would find it more economical to pay experienced secretaries more money than to hire inexperienced men at smaller salaries.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, W. E. Hines, Calgary; Vice President, W. J. Brady, Camrose; four executives, J. A. Gow, Barons; W. E. Truman, Red Deer; D. N. Gariener, Strathmore, and A. D. Newton, West Wingham.

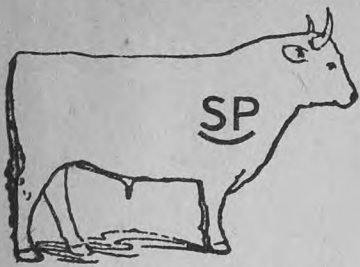
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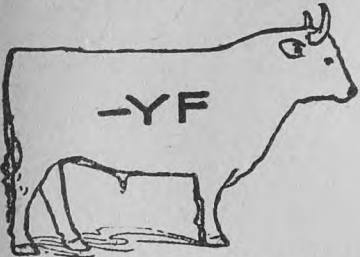
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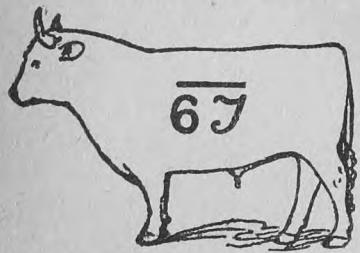
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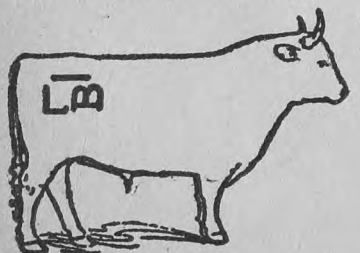
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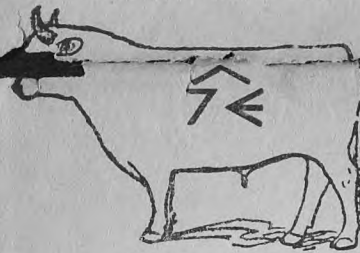
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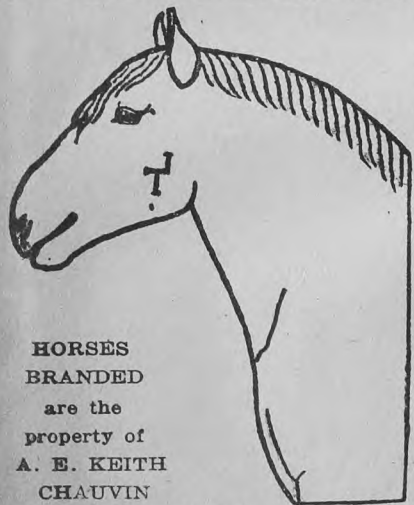


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Here and There

Southern Alberta is to have another addition to its growing list of titled ranchers, according to report. The Duc de Nemours, a descendant of Louis Phillipe of France, it is stated, is sailing in April to visit Lord and Lady Rodney, who have a ranch at Fort Saskatchewan, and, later, to acquire a homestead near the establishment of the Prince of Wales.

The Nova Scotia Technical College assays under direction of the Dominion Council of Scientific Research indicate Nova Scotia oil shales to be the richest in the world, giving fifty gallons of high-grade paraffin to a ton of shale. One hundred million tons of the shale are readily accessible, and vast oil industries similar to those of Colorado and the Western States might well come into being in this province.

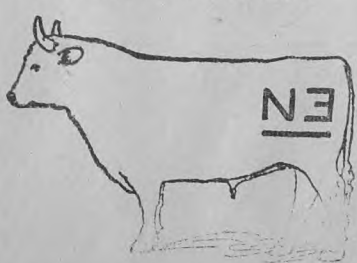
"I find general business conditions quiet but improving throughout Canada and undoubtedly the increase in the price of farm products will prove very encouraging to the west," said Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on his return from a recent tour of the Dominion. "Large orders for hardware shipped over our lines of late to the west indicate that the crop money is now beginning to circulate more readily, which in its turn is a mark of the farmer's confidence in the country."

There was a general increase in all phases of the lumbering industry in Canada during 1923, as compared with the previous year, according to the latest report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The average value of the output in that year amounted to \$139,894,677, as compared with \$114,324,580 in 1922, an increase of 22 per cent. In this respect the lumbering industry comes third on the list of manufacturing industries in Canada, with the pulp and paper industry first and the flour and grist mills second.

Passengers aboard the Canadian Pacific steamship "Empress of France," now touring the world, had a unique experience recently while visiting Ceylon. Returning from a run out to Kandy, the old capital of the Cingalese Kings and Site of the Temple of the Tooth of Buddha, a train-load of the travellers was held up by a herd of wild elephants which, hemmed in on either side by the jungle, ambulated along the track ahead. This was a feature of the journey which delighted those of the tourists who were not anxious about missing the ship.

Viola Dana, the famous motion picture actress, whose work has delighted millions, is to be the star of a drama to be filmed at Banff, according to a recent report. Miss Dana journeyed from New York to Montreal and then across the continent via Canadian Pacific Railway, in order to join her company for the film. The remainder of the cast are proceeding to Banff from Los Angeles and it is expected that shooting of the scenes will commence shortly. A very considerable number of big pictures have already been taken at Banff, which seems to have a great attraction for discerning stars and directors who appreciate the beauty of the scenery.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY DIRECTORS MEETING

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sions of the prize winners as reported in the paper be corrected. carried.

Tree Planting: Moved Mrs. Armour—W. Petrie that the Tree planting committee report be accepted and that they be asked to continue, and to try to co-operate with the village council in preparing the land. Carried.

Prize List Committee: Mr. Pitman reported that the committee had gone over the prize list again and recommended some slight changes in the rules and also in some of the classes. These were thoroughly discussed by the directors present and on motion of Mr. Ryall—Mr. Cubitt the report was accepted and handed back to the committee to place in the hands of the printer.

School Work: Moved Mr. Pitman—Mr. Ryall that the revised list of ladies' work and school work as given by the committee be accepted. Carried.

Vegetables and Grains: The Secretary was instructed to secure some information on how to prepare vegetables and grains for exhibit.

Judging Competition: The holding of a boy's and girl's judging competition was tabled till next meeting.

Loan: Moved Mr. Pitman—Mr. Ryall that the Secretary and President try to arrange with the bank for an advance to pay off the prize money. Carried.

J. Tooth moved that the meeting adjourn.

The following directors were present:

Dr. Folkins, Mrs. Armour, Mrs. Tooth, Mrs. Folkins, W. Cubitt, C. W. Ryall, J. Tooth, G. McEwen N. Strachan, E. A. Pitman, W. Petrie, L. Fahner.

WESTERN LAMB BREEDER'S OPPORTUNITY

There is a possibility that an excellent market will develop in Eastern Canada, more particularly in Ontario, for western lambs for finishing purposes. A trial is being made this year in the feeding of several car-loads of western range lambs by the Swift Canadian Company at Toronto. Mr. A. A. MacMillan, Chief of the Sheep and Swine Division of the Live Stock Branch at Ottawa, after examining the lambs being fed found a number of them lacking in desirable mutton conformation, in being too long in leg, neck, and body. Mr. MacMillan drew attention to these observations when addressing the Saskatchewan Sheep Breeder's Association at their annual meeting this year, and advised them that a profitable opening is to develop for western lambs provided they are of the proper mutton type. The market is becoming more and more discriminating in favour of well-finished lambs weighing not over one hundred pounds. Not only do the shorter legged, thick bodied lambs finish into a better selling product but they incline to easier feeding. Mr. MacMillan prophesied a hopeful future for the western sheep raiser who will give attention to the quality of the stock he is able to turn out.

Flattery is the praise we hear given to other people.

BEES DO WELL AT LACOMBE EXPERIMENTAL FARM

That bee keeping in central Alberta can be made a success by any who will take an interest in bees, has been fully demonstrated at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lacombe. At this station a few colonies of bees have been kept for the past six years. During the summer of 1921, eleven colonies averaged 109 lbs each, with 207 lbs from one colony.

This year on account of the dry weather which prevented nectar from developing in the flowers. and the later cold wet weather. the yield will probably not be so high.

The country around Lacombe is partly wooded and the open country and brush land produces practically the same wild flowers as are common around Chauvin.

This winter at Lacombe thirty-five colonies have been put in to winter quarters. Part of these are being wintered in the basement under the office, and part in boxes packed with 8 inches of cut straw between the box and the hives. From the experience of former winters it is believed that that have been wintered in the open have done the best as they are able to fly much earlier in the spring and also come through the winter in quite as strong condition as the bees wintered in the basement. where at times it is a little too warm.

Bees do not become entirely torpid in the winter like other insects but they generate heat and consume the stores. In cold weather the bees form a compact spherical cluster. A successful wintering depends principally upon the number of bees in the cluster, the youth of the bees, sufficient and wholesome stores and protection from extreme cold or dampness. When good protection is provided the bees do not need to produce so much heat, consequently less stores are consumed and there is less drawn from the vitality of the bees..

STARTING IN BEES

Before starting to keep bee the beginner should, if possible, get in touch with some neighbor who has had experience with bees and who is willing to explain the methods of managing colonies.

Most of the Agricultural Colleges now put on courses in bee keeping where valuable information may be obtained. Where neither of the former advantages can be taken advantage of, the beginner can procure, at a very moderate cost, several excellent books and bee journals that treat in full detail the different features of bee keeping. A list of these books can be obtained from any of the experiment farms.

Early spring is the best time to make a start with bees, the earlier the better after the first buds have started to come out on the trees.

Within the last few years it has been found that excellent success can be obtained live bees in combless packages, in specially constructed cages. In this way all danger of shipping foul breed is eliminated. Without a doubt this is the best method to use in this locality for starting an apiary and it is also economical as a honey crop can nearly always be relied on the first season.

Bees are usually shipped in one two and three pound packages, with a queen in each package.

The two pound package containing about 10,000 bees is the most favored. These can be secured at from four to five dollars per package with safe delivery guaranteed.

In addition to the bees a beginner will need two hives complete with frames and foundation, some extra supers with frames and foundation for placing the hives as the season advances, a bee smoker and a veil, need not be expensive, and he should avoid purchasing unnecessary supplies until he becomes conversant with what is needed.

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BEEKEEPING FOR WOMEN

Experimental Farms Note

Many women are now included in the evergrowing ranks of bee-keeping enthusiasts. A few have taken up bee keeping as a sole means of earing a livelihood but the majority of them are keeping bees simply for the pleasure and recreation afforded by these interesting little insects. Not only do a few colonies of bees afford their own pleasure and relaxation from routine work, but with proper care, may be made quite profitable. For teachers or business women, beekeeping provides a means of spending a pleasant and profitable summer vacation out in the open air, and not a few of these are owning and operating fair sized apiaries. For the housewife beekeeping is especially adapted, for not only will bee keeping provide her with a complete change and rest from the monotonous routine of household duties, but it enables her to provide a delicious sweet and wholesome food for her home at a little cost, and also add considerably to her income. A few colonies of

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bees can be made quite profitable even in small towns and cities for the bees will travel long distances in search of nectar, and there is no reason why a few colonies should not find a place on every farm in the country as well as a flock of poultry.

Many women are debarred from keeping bees through fear of stings, but if the bees are properly handled and the operator wears veil and gloves there is very little danger from this source. Should a sting be received it should be at once scraped out and not pulled with the finger and thumb as this will all the poison into the wound. After a few stings, however, one usually becomes immune and little notice is taken of them.

A certain amount of hard work is attached to beekeeping especially when the crop is being removed, this, however, can be reduced by the use of small (shallow) supers for the surplus honey. However there should be little difficulty in getting a man to lift off the supers when they are ready. Wintering outdoors in packing cases does away with a lot of heavy lifting and carrying.

Beekeeping on a small scale does not require a great deal of time or labor, but it is necessary to give attention to details—another reason why beekeeping should appeal to women. The bees need very little attention but

the little they do need must be given at the proper time, and unless one is prepared to give them this attention, they cannot be made profitable.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL, RIBSTONE M. D.

A special meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Ribstone No. 421 held at the Council Chambers Chauvin, Saturday, March 21st at 1.30 p.m.

Present: Reeve Ferguson (presiding) Cirs. Meurin, Tunney, Sewell and Lang.

The Reeve explained that the business of the Council for this meeting was to make the necessary arrangements for a by-election in Division No. 5.

Secretary read a letter from the Department of Municipal Affairs, stating that they see no objection to proceeding to an election at once; and Cirs. Meurin moved that another election be held at once in Division No. 5. Carried.

This being a by-election for Division No. 5 only, after some discussion as to appointing the officials from that division only, Cirs. Sewell moved that Mr. T. W. Nelson be appointed Returning Officer, Mr. W. E. Hughes Deputy Returning Officer, and that the Polling station be held on the farm of Mr. F. J. Reinhart, the S1/2 27-42-3-w4th; and that if it

should be found that Mr. Nelson is not willing to act, that Mr. Foreman be appointed in his stead. Carried unanimously.

Cirs. Sewell moved that the Nomination meeting be held at Ribstone on Wednesday the 1st day of April, from 2 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and the election on the same day in the week following. Carried.

Cirs. Meurin moved that the resolution passed on the 11th March, setting the date of the next meeting as April 4th be rescinded, and the next regular meeting be held at Chauvin on the 18th day of April, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon. Carried.

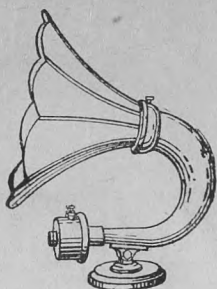
Cirs. Sewell moved that the meeting be adjourned. Carried.

PUBLIC SHOOTING GROUNDS

Public shooting areas have now been established in Alberta and other provinces by the federal government. In Alberta there will be 32 of these areas, chiefly surrounding lakes, it is expected. The game commissioner of Alberta has not yet received official information as to the location of these areas.

Many a man marries a blonde and after a long spell of life finds that he would have preferred a brunette. Fortunately there is always a likelihood that his wife will dye.

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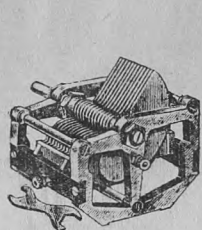


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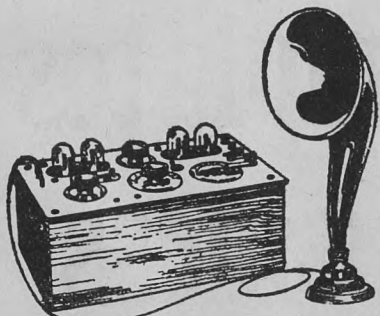
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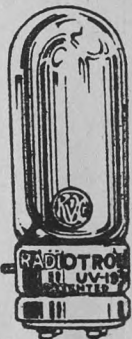
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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Alberta government after a long series of budget deficits, the first two of which might be regarded as excusable, has definitely pronounced itself against an attempt to balance its budget for the coming year. Manitoba and Saskatchewan have successfully coped with a similar problem during the past years with success and have balanced their budgets. Why should not Alberta be able to do the same?

A resolution brought to the house by the opposition asking for a reduction of expenditures by \$6000,000 was defeated by a standing vote of 39 to 11. This vote appears to clearly show that politics in the Alberta house may be just as "machine made" as in any other legislature.

It is a matter of serious concern when a government definitely refuses to curtail its expenditures by the meagre amount of one dollar per head per year of its population at a time when all sane and pregressive citizens are themselves making such curtailments in their business and living expenses.

Failure to make this necessary curtailment and to balance this year's budget will considerably weaken the appeal of this government for re-election to power when they next come to the country for the support of the voters. How can it be otherwise?

We are told by the historians that every war in the past two centuries has been followed by a popular wave of dancing. Each of these waves have brought forward some new styles, of which the most distasteful gradually fell into discard, and only the best have survived. The past war has proven no exception, since its close the dance halls of Europe and America have been crowded by the devotees of the light fantastic setp. It is only during the past eighteen months that any diminution of the rage for dancing has been observable.

The waning popularity of dancing in our own district is thus only another manifestation of the spirit that pervaded our forefathers in their day and generation. Judging by this we may look for a return to the old favorite dances; and for more grace displayed on the dance floor.

A great improvement could be made in our local dances if only the young men and women who grace the floor by their presence would learn their steps and take care to perform them correctly. It is really painful to watch the large number (some of them old enough to know better) who one-step, two-step, fox-trot and so with an unvarying shuffle of their own.

HELLO

If you meet a man in woe,
Go right up and say "Hello!!"
Say "Hello!" and "How d'you do?"
And how's the world a-using you?"
Slap the fellow on the ack,
Bring your hand down with a whack,
Go right up and don't be slow,
Grin—and shake and say "Hello!"

Is he dressed in rags? Well, go
Up to him and say "Hello!"
A rag is but a cotton roll
Just for wrapping up a soul.
And a soul is worth a true,
Hale and hearty, "How d'you do?"
Go right up and don't be slow,
Grin—and shake and say "Hello!"

When big vessels meet, they say,
They salute and steam away—
Just the same as you and me,
Lonely ships upon life's sea,
Each one sailing his own jog
For a port beyond the fog.
Let your speaking trumpet go,
Raise your voice and shout "Hello!"

Say "Hello!" and "How d'you do?"
Other folks are good as you.
When you leave this house of clay,
Sailing in the far away,
When your travelling through that strange
Country t'other side the range,
Then the souls you've cheered will know
Who you are, and say "Hello!"

The road to success is open to all: but too many want to arrive there without the trouble of travelling.

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Immigration to Canada for the month of August, 1924, totalled 20,186, of whom 5,706 were from the British Isles, 1,784 from the United States, and 12,696 from other countries. Immigration for the first five months of the fiscal year totalled 76,719. In the same period 23,861 Canadians have returned to Canada from domicile in the United States.

As an indication that the tide of settlers has definitely set in the direction of Canada, it has been made known by the Department of Immigration and Colonization that 5,000 acres of land near Lethbridge has been sold to ten families of 75 persons from South Dakota. This, it is announced, is only the advance guard of a considerable northward movement from that region.

"We will have a good report to present when we reach the Hebrides", said Rev. Father Alex. MacDougall, a member of the Hebridean commission of inquiry which investigated conditions of Hebrideans in Canada. The members of the commission, after visiting Alberta, reported the new settlers perfectly satisfied with Canadian conditions.

Among the passengers sailing for Europe aboard the Canadian Pacific Steamship "Empress of France" on October 8th, was Geo. A. Walton, General Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, who will represent the company on an extensive tour of Europe arranged for the American Association of Passenger Traffic Officers by the trans-Atlantic steamship companies and the railroads of Great Britain and the continent.

Charles J. Pernigotti, a native of Danbury, Conn., has received a commission from the Prince of Wales to paint some of his blooded stock on the E. P. ranch, near High River, on the Canadian Pacific lines in Alberta. Pernigotti, who has attained a reputation as a painter of animals, says the commission was awarded during the Prince's stay at Syosset. He will commence work the latter part of October.

Hubby: "Didn't I telegraph to you not to bring your mother back with you?"

Wife: "That's what she wants to see you about!"

"John's a nice chap, but he's too terribly tight."

"He isn't tight. He's simply saving for a rainy day."

"In that case, he's expecting a flood."

MILITIA NOTES

The "C" Squadron 19th Alberta Dragoons will hold their next Parade at the G.W.V.A. hall on Saturday evening April 4th at 8.00, for instruction. Officer in charge Lt. W. Cubitt; Instructor Sergt. D. R. Saul; Orderly Sergt. Sergt. C. J. Smith.

All recruits are particularly requested to attend these instruction Parades.

J. A. MacKenzie, Capt.
O.C. "C" Squadron. A. D.

RIBSTONE W. I. NOTES

the entertainment given by the Ribstone W.I. on March 13th was a great success and the members wish to thank all those who kindly contributed towards the program.

Proceeds of same amounted to \$23.65.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ribstone W. I. will be held in the Municipal Hall on Saturday April 4th.

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EDGERTON ECHOES

There is just a faint sign of spring being just around the corner. The last two days have had a softening influence on the deep snowbanks and they are gradually settling. We are not the least sorry.

We are certain that Edgerton has spent the busiest two weeks, just past, of its career. If you did not happen to be curling, you would be rehearsing the big play recently put on; if you were not occupied at either, then you would be busy watching your favourite rinks win or lose in the recent bonspiel; but, anyway, everybody was busy.

The executive of the Curling Club decided to liven up the rather draggy curling season and also to make up a small deficit in operating and hit on the novel plan of a mixed bonspiel. The plan immediately took with the crowd and 18 rinks entered the fray to compete for a handsome list of something like 20 valuable prizes contributed by the business men of the town. There were four competitions in all, chief of which was the Grand Challenge and Murdoch—both massive silver cups—with 4 accompanying prizes. Not to be forgotten was the 'Lawrence Memorial' with four prizes, as a consolation; and also the Hard Luck, with four prizes, which we think was not awarded properly. We would have said that the last prize should have been lost and not won. Anyway, the whole thing

was a huge success and around \$75 was made off the venture. Most of this amount was made from the sale of 'eats' during the evenings' curling. Four Ladies or four gents as the case might be, were appointed each evening as caterers and the way eats and coffee disappeared every evening showed plainly that curling isn't play; but everybody was happy. Every rink had either a lady playing first and third, or else a green lead and a lady third. Few of the ladies ever curled before but they can't say that now, some of them are now real curlers.

We would fill all the Chronicle with items of this Spiel, but it will be enough to say that Charlie Rogers' rink triumphed over E. Bonner's rink in the Grand Aggregate; in the other competitions the following tells the story:

Grand Challenge: First E. W. Bonner (skip) Mrs. Eakin, Charlie Fisher, Mrs. Bullymore.

Second, Jack Gerrie, (skip) Mrs. Gerrie, Bill Challenger, Roy Hallett.

Third, Ernie Clendenan (skip) Mrs. Clendenan, Bill Rogers, Miss Smith.

Fourth, Charlie Rogers (skip) Mrs. Tennant, Frank Eakin, Harvie Spornitz.

Murdoch Trophy: First, R. Coupland (skip) Mrs. H. Spornitz, Dud Sawyer, Benny Wheeler.

Second, Charlie Rogers (rink already mentioned)

Third, P. T. M. Milne (skip) Mrs. W. Spornitz, Bert Evans, Evelyn Swindlehurst.

Fourth Ed Ripley (skip) Mrs. Waterman, C. Tennant, Art Umbach.

Lawrence Memorial (Consolation): First, Sid. Pawsey (skip) Mrs. Warnock, Jim Watson, Miss Youngston.

Second, Earl Gorton (skip) Mrs. Davidson, Scotty, Mrs. Gorton.

Third, Ted Brown (skip), Miss N. Compton, Dr. Melling, Earl Hallett.

Fourth, Roy Edmonds (skip), Mrs. Groves, D. Edmonds, LL. Howatt.

Hard Luck: First, E. Teigen (skip) Miss R. Howatt, Ernie Jackson, Jim Sawyer.

Second, H. Boyd (skip), Miss E. Ayers, R. Hallett, Chow.

Third Bill Spornitz (skip), Mrs. Bonner, Dave Howatt, Johnny Rae.

?Special for largest score in single game, Gorton's rink.

This should be made an annual fixture as it is too good to be dropped. Some very good games were curled and the usual extra ends were also in evidence. Nor must we forget the most important point of the whole thing: Alf Lawrence was the official umpire and many were the calls he received for decisions, which he gave in an unboasted manner.

Sweet young thing (driving suburb)—"Would you like to see where I was vaccinated?"

He (with enthusiasm)—"Sure"

S. Y. T. (Pointing toward a house which they had just passed)—"Well, right in there."

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NO. 451.

At the annual meeting of the Ratepayers of Merton; a Resolution was passed unanimously; requesting the Council to appoint Stock Rangers to enforce the Municipal Stock By-law regulating the running of Stock in the district.

This matter was taken up at the Council meeting held on March 6th; and each Councillor was authorized to appoint a Stock Ranger to enforce the By-Law. It is the intention of Council to see that the wishes of its ratepayers are carried out. At the present time there are hundreds of horses running in the district which are the property of non-residents; many of them are practically starving; in fact there are numbers of dead horses on the prairie; that have literally starved to death. Such neglect on the part of the owners is absolutely criminal; and if the owners of these horses can be located; no effort will be spared to force these owners to recognize their responsibility. In the meantime the Stock Rangers have full authority to clear the range either by impounding the animals; or by instituting legal proceedings against the owners. It is apparent that the By-Law recently passed in the district east of the meridian, has resulted in large of stock being driven in to this district; but the Council have no intention of allowing this municipality to be the dumping ground of all the stray stock of the country; and the owners are strongly advised to round up their stock; and take them where they have the right to range. This notice may be taken as a warning.

L. B. NICHOLSON, Secy-Treas.

WAINWRIGHT-CHAUVIN HOCKEY MATCH

The Chauvin hockey team gave the Wainwright defenders of the cup a very strenuous battle last Wednesday evening. During the first period, which was the fastest seen at Wainwright during the present season, J. Stewart scored the first goal for the challengers R. Weldon drawing second blood. York, of Wainwright, then drove the puck into goal. Time finding Chauvin the holders of two to one score in their favor.

The second period found Rod-three goals for Chauvin, whilst Wainwright secured two goals. During the third period Chauvin played strong. At five minutes to the end C. Stewart was penalized, and before time Wainwright had evened the score to 5-5.

It was then decided to play an extra period of ten minutes: five minutes each way without rest. Play became very fast and no score was registered by either team in the first period. A second period of ten minutes was then played off, without any rest, and without score. A third overtime period was immediately proceeded with, but the strain was beginning to show on the Chauvin team, they held their own however until at three minutes to close, J. Stewart broke his skate and was compelled to retire. Seizing this opportunity, Wainwright were successful in scoring the winning goal. Score Wainwright 6; Chauvin 5.

Line Up

Boyd E	goal	Burton, G.
Parmento, F.	def	Rodden, W.
Tory	def	Stewart, C.
Laying	def	Stewart, J.
York	Centre	Weldon, R.
Habkirk	r wing	Pierce, R.

Chanbois 1 wing Sigurdson, C. Cunningham sub Goede, I.

The Chauvin hockey team journeyed to Wainwright again last Monday but were unsuccessful in wresting the Dawson Cup from its present holders, Wainwright. In the first period Chauvin had most all the play, each team scoring one goal. Wainwright, however, had it all to themselves in the second and piled up a lead of six goals to their favor. Chauvin showed more animation in the third but failed to add to their score while Wainwright added another goal for good measure. Score; Wainwright 8; Chauvin 1.

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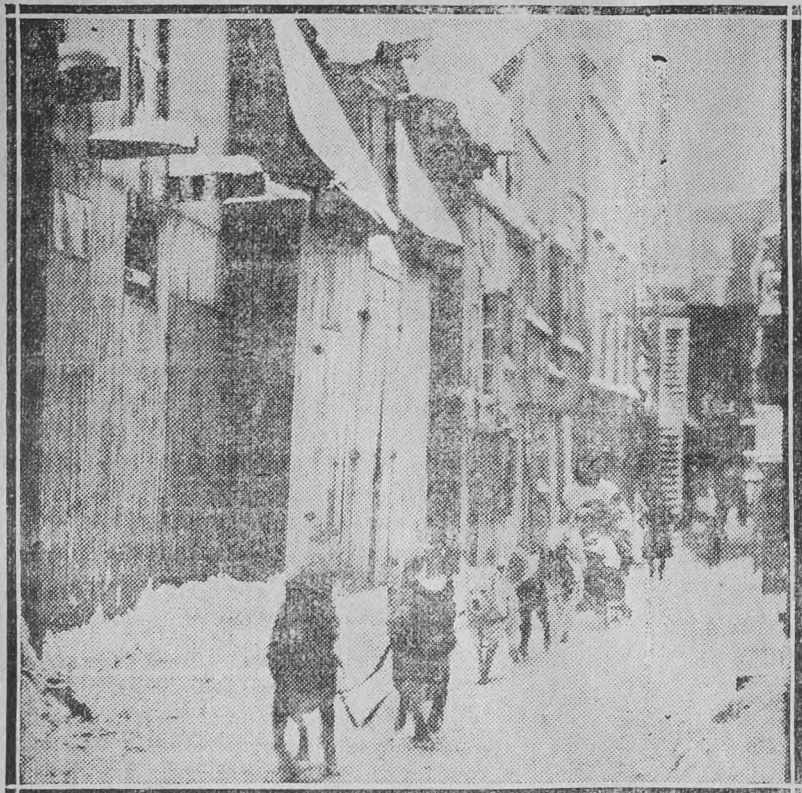
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PRUNING

Experimental Farms Note

Early spring is the time for pruning. It is the most favorable time for general pruning of growing trees, and it also the season for tree planting, which entails special pruning.

Raspberry canes and currant bushes should be cut back to short stubs at the time of planting. Raspberry canes are cut to within four inches of the ground, and currant bushes are cut so as to have no long branches but rather a semi-circle of short stubs. This treatment encourages favorable root development with subsequent vigorous growth of sturdy bush or stool of canes. Gooseberries are frequently not cut back so severely as currants.

In tree planting all broken roots are clipped off with a sharp knife. Have the tree under the left arm and cut away under the root and outwards. This will stimulate a branching growth of roots which tend to extend laterally rather than downwards. The top

of the tree is severely headed back at planting, all main branches of the young tree being cut back about one-half their length.

The growing prairie fruit tree is not pruned severely. All dead wood is to be kept out; all broken cut off cleanly; all cross branches that interfere with neighboring branches cut off; and all wounds trimmed with a sharp knife. The most severe trimming is done on the east side so that the tree will be sturdy and well developed on the west from whence comes so much of the wind.

All wounds over one-half inch in diameter may with advantage be treated with some material to prevent drying out and to ward off infection with fungous diseases. If wound is likely to have infection it is well to spray the wounds with Bordeaux x mixture or wash the wood but not the bark with a 1:1000 solution of corrosive sublimate, and then cover the wound with warm (not hot) grafting wax, with tar or with white lead and oil (without turpentine) paint.

VALUE OF FARM LANDS

According to a bulletin issued by the dominion bureau of statistics, the average value of occupied farm lands in Alberta is placed at \$25 an acre, compared with \$24 for 1923.

The highest average is British Columbia with \$96 an acre. Alberta has the lowest average price per acre of occupied farm lands in all the provinces of Canada, save Saskatchewan, where the average is estimated at \$24 per acre. Manitoba's average is \$28 an acre.

ALBERTA COAL FOR ONTARIO

Arrangements are now being made for the shipment of 100,000 tons of coal from Alberta mines to the Ontario market, under special arrangement with the Alberta and Ontario and the federal government.

W. L. A. NOTES

The Ladies Auxiliary of Westminster church will hold a sale of ladies and children's aprons, and will also serve hot pan cakes with maple syrup and tea and coffee from noon till evening on Saturday March 28th in the store formerly occupied by Mr. Saker.

A donation of an apron from any person interested will be much appreciated. Proceeds in aid of church funds.

WESTMINSTER CHURCH CHAUVIN

SUNDAY, MARCH 29th

S. S. Chauvin 11 a.m.
Prosperity Service .. 1.30 p.m.
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Chauvin Service 7.30 p.m.

Anthem by the Choir.

Everybody is cordially invited to these services.

AUCTION SALE

Luthy's auction sale which was announced to take place March 19th has been postponed until Thursday, April 2nd, starting at 12 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at 11 o'clock. For particulars see posters.

WHEAT POOL CONVENTION AT WAINWRIGHT

A Wheat Pool Convention will be held in Wainwright at the Elite Theatre, Saturday, March 28th at 10 a.m. All members in the district tributary to the railway from Irma to the Saskatchewan boundary are eligible to attend.

The object is to co-ordinate opinion on wheat pool matter. The present system of voting is haphazard, due to it, we have no representative in this district, and there is nothing to prevent the Edmonton District electing 10 delegates within a ten mile radius of Edmonton. At this convention we shall nominate a delegate to the annual wheat pool meeting and then adopt means of advertising our candidate.

A constitution will be drawn up and adopted.

Resolutions from members will be welcome, also any other business in connection with the Wheat Pool.

"You lent her five dollars? Well, that's the last you'll see of it!"

"Oh, no! You see, she wants it to lend to Ethel, who wants to pay Grace the five dollars she borrowed from her that I lent to Grace."

An absent-minded man was deep in his work when his wife called out to him:

"Henry! Baby has swallowed all the ink in the inkwell! What ever shall we do?"

"Write with a pencil. I suppose," was the dreamy answer.

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POOL MEETING

A follow up meeting at Chauvin was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Chauvin, on Saturday, March 14, Mr. A. B. Claypool, M.L.A. for Didsbury and vice-president of the Alberta Livestock Producers Ltd. spoke on behalf of various proposed pools. This was one of a series of meetings that were held on the different lines in the central part of the province on some three different Saturdays when some of the M. L. A.'s were at leisure to help the work along.

A very small crowd turned out to this as well as the former meeting but after hearing Mr. Claypool a number came forward and signed the different contracts.

In his address Mr. Claypool recalled the work done by the central selling agency, The Canadian Wheat Board, which looked as if it came into being to sell some twenty million bushels of wheat which before the war ended was contracted for by the Allied Powers but when the war was finished the Allies repudiated the contract which called for a price of two dollars and twenty cents per bushel thinking that the same wheat could be bought later for fifty cents per bushel less money.

In the meantime the Wheat Board was organized and a net price of two dollars and forty-eight cents was received for that twenty million bushels as well as the whole of the 1919 crop.

Mr. Claypool cited many such instances where co-operative marketing was so much more profitable to the producer that individual effort, and said that outside of one district where there were three drovers in keen competition, in his constituency that the contracts were coming in fine. He felt that the required objective was going to be reached and that it was going to be a reality.

In closing, Mr. Claypool made the plea that the canvassers get busy when the weather and the roads would permit, when one hundred signers were obtained to the Livestock Pool that a local association be formed and a shipper be appointed. The aim of the Pool would be to have the shipper taught to eventually be able to sort and grade the different kinds of livestock at the shipping points.

Mr. Claypool answered many questions in regard to the Pools, the livestock especially, but of course could not explain all the technical points about the proposed dairy and poultry pools. He not being a dairy-man or poultry man himself.

The time for the finish of the sign up campaign is August 1st and of course if the objective is reached a convention will be called in much the same way as the Wheat Pool and every item of the ways and means will be discussed before any business is handled. The contract for the Livestock Pool has embodied in it provision for acquiring in time as the thing grows, everything from pens in Stockyard, feed lots, etc., to packing plants, abattoirs, rolling stock and even the chartering of boats.

All that is necessary to make the pools a success is, first as nearly one hundred per cent signers as can be possibly induced to sign the contracts, secondly (Contd. at foot of next column)

THE BEST SEEDS TO GROW

(Experimental Farm Note)

Vegetables recommended for Northwestern Saskatchewan continued. The varieties listed below are recommended as determined by tests carried on at the Scott Experimental Station for the past 14 years.

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Peppers, Harris Earline, Neapolitan.

Potatoes; (early) Everitt, Early Ohio.

Potatoes (late) Gold Nugget, Gold Coin, Wee Macgregor.

Pumpkin; Connecticut Field, Small Sugar.

Radish; Early Scarlet Ball, Scarlet White Tipped, Icele, Twenty Days.

Spinach; Victoria, New Zealand, King of Denmark.

Swiss Chard.

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Rhubarb; Victoria.

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HIGH RIVER'S**BIG HORSE SALE**

A huge auction sale of horses at High River, which may become an annual event, was instituted last week the total amount realized at the first sale being \$35,000 with \$445 paid for a fine team of Percherons. There were 458 horses entered for sale.

(Continued from last Column) that members after signing take an interest and have representatives appointed to attend the meetings who will see that everything is carried on in a business-like way.

**RURAL CREDIT
SOCIETIES DO WELL**

Rural credit societies in Alberta appear to be in a healthy state, according to reports available in the provincial government offices. With about \$900,000 outstanding collections during 1924 amounted to about 60 per cent. which is considered a good showing. There are now 28 rural credit societies in the province. The government recently was able to secure for the societies a reduction on interest rates to 6 per cent.

**MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF
MERTON, NO. 451****NOTICE TO OWNER OF
CATTLE AND HORSE
BRANDS**

All ratepayers of the Municipal District of Merton are requested to send in full particulars of their cattle and horse brands for the purpose of having same inserted in the municipal Brand Book.

L. B. NICHOLSON
Secretary, Dina. Alberta

PRICE LIST OF**Trees - Plants - Shrubs**

FOR SPRING DELIVERY 1925

ONLY HARDY VARIETIES SUITABLE FOR THIS DISTRICT
ARE LISTED**TREES AND SHRUBS**

MAPLE SEEDLINGS, 1 year, 6 to 10 inches	per 100	1.50
MAPLE SEEDLINGS, 2 year, 1 to 2 feet	per 100	5.00
MAPLE TREES, 2 to 4 feet	each 20c	per 100 13.00
RUSSIAN LAUREL WILLOWS, 1 to 2 feet.	per 100	5.00
RUSSIAN POPLARS, 1 to 2 feet	per 100	7.00

Caraganas are very hardy quick growing, in almost any soil, specially recommended for hedges

CARAGANA SEEDLINGS, 1 year 4 to 6 inches	per 100	1'00
CARAGANA SEEDLINGS, 2 years 12 to 18 inches	per 100	3.00
CARAGANA, TRANSPLANTED	per 100	5.00
CARAGANA SHRUBS 2 to 4 feet	each 25c;	per 100 22.00
VIRGINIA CREEPER	each 20c 4 for	.60
TARTAGAN HONEYSUCKLE 3 feet	each	.50
LILAC BUSHES, 1 to 4 feet (according to size)	each 15c; 25c; 40c.	
LILAC FOR HEDGES	per 100	7.00
PEONY, Red or Pink	each	.50

CURRENTS

BLACK CURRENTS, 2 year bushes	per dozen	2.50
WHITE CURRENTS, 2 year bushes	per dozen	3.00
RED CURRENTS, Cherry, strong plants	per dozen	2.50

RASPBERRIES

ST. REGIS EVERBEARING	per dozen	.90
MILLER & KING RASPBERRIES	per dozen	.75

PLUMS

CHENEY SAPA, OPATA, (Hybrid) 3 feet	each	.80
NATIVE PLUMS, 3 foot	4 for	.80

APPLES

CRAB APPLES, TRANSCENDANT, SIBERIAN & LAWRENCE	each	.50
APPLE TREES, WEALTHY, HYBERNAL, WHITNEY, TRANSPARENT & OKABENA, 3 foot	each	.60

RHUBARB

RHUBARB ROOTS, Strong Crowns	per dozen	1.75
RHUBARB ROOTS, 1 year plants	per dozen	.85

STRAWBERRY PLANTS

PROGRESSIVE EVERBEARING, planted in May will produce a crop of fine berries the first year, and continue fruiting until the end of September	per dozen 1.00; per 25 1.85; per 100 5.50
June Varieties: SENATOR DUNLAP—WARFIELD,	per 100 2.75
MARVEL	per 100 4.50

The planting season is generally of short duration
it is therefor advisable to order early

PRICES ARE AT CHAUVIN
TERMS: CASH WITH ORDER

ORDERS LEFT WITH A. HERBERT, CHAUVIN
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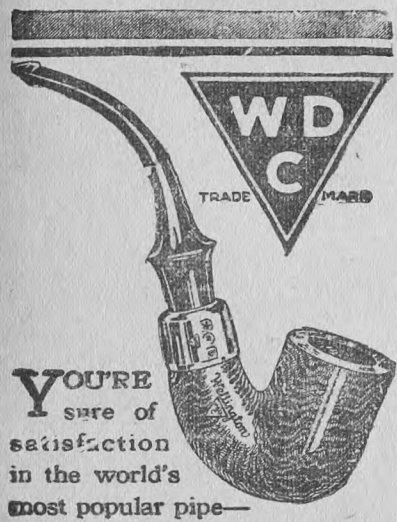
H. N. FREEMAN, Manager

CHAUVIN

CHAUVIN ORCHESTRA

The Chauvin Orchestra wish it to be clearly understood that they are not having a dance this Friday, (March 27th) as a dance is being held at Edinglassie on that date. The orchestra will a dance in the I.O.O.F hall, Friday April 3rd.

"Mother," said a little boy after coming from a walk. "I've seen a man who makes horses." "Are you sure?" asked his mother. "Yes," he replied. "He had a horse nearly finished when I saw him; he was just nailing on his back feet."



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THE POOL ROOM
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

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LOCAL NOTES OF INTEREST

Several whispers were heard Saturday to the effect that spring had arrived. We are not putting this in the paper because if the weather man reads it, we are sure he will take another drop too much.

A nomination meeting will be held in Ribstone, Wednesday April 1st, to fill the vacancy for councillor in Division 5 of the Ribstone municipality.

Prices may be copied momentarily or otherwise but to get the original low price combined with service go to Saker's.

We have received word from Terrace B.C., that Willie Vanderlip has lost four fingers of his right hand whilst working on a planing machine. last week. He is at present in hospital. Our old friend his father, has been in a very poor state of health during the past winter.

Mrs. Burton, and infant son, of Abernethy Sask., has been spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Cargill. Mrs. Cargill and Mrs. Burton left for Edmonton, Friday, to pay a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sim.

Sell that Beef Hide to Parcels and Foxwell.

Colored glasses for snow-blindness are in special demand this spring. The snow remaining so late and the sun getting very strong, eyes are suffering torture. Get a pair at the Chauvin Pharmacy and have some comfort. Celluloid Frames and Large Lens—price \$1.00

Mr. G. McNutt has been under the weather during the week-end suffering from an attack of tonsillitis.

You don't have to object to high prices at Saker's. They do not exist there.

A most enjoyable time was spent at the moceasin dance at the rink last Friday evening. Music was supplied by the Chauvin Orchestra, and dancing on the ice was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. H. N. Freeman is making good progress after his recent operation.

"I can sell just as cheap as Saker". This phrase has been used many times in Chauvin but study it closely, weigh each word judge it from an absolutely neutral point. Be fair to yourself and to "the other fellow."—deal at Saker's.

Geo. Reynolds will be shipping live stock from Chauvin and Ribstone, Monday March 30th.

Mrs. F. Laplante left for an Edmonton hospital last Friday night. We all hope to hear of her recovery at an early date.

The Chauvin Orchestra will give a dance in the Oddfellow Hall, Chauvin on Friday, April 3.

Mr. F. Parmenter, late of the local bank staff, has been spending the week-end with his Chauvin friends.

Mr. D. Saul left for Edmonton last Sunday evening.

Sell that Beef Hide to Parcels and Foxwell.

The next meeting of the Ribstone Council will be held at Chauvin at 1.30 p.m., April 18th

Mr. W. J. Cubitt is making arrangements to open up an establishments where clothes can be cleaned, pressed and repaired, Tailoring and alterations will be neatly executed. Mr. Cubitt has had considerable experience in this work. Besides which he is agent for Rex Tailoring Co. Suits made to measure from \$25 to \$60. We wish Mr. Cubitt every success in this undertaking.

There was a good crowd of buyers at the J. Pelletier sale last week and a good sale is reported.

Messrs Parcels and Foxwell shipped live stock last Monday.

A nice box of apples for \$2.25, not shrunken or "off" in any way. Guaranteed ata Saker's.

For results, use the Chronicle Want ad column.

W. A. Clasper was a visitor to Edmonton last week.

Mr. Ouelette having disposed of his farm to Mr. A. E. Pitman left on Monday's train.

Owing to some subscribers not getting their paper until the end of the week, Sakers have decided to continue their special (Ogilvies No. 1. flour at \$4.75 for 98 lb sack) until the end of March. Price subject to market changes, i.e. should flour decline 25c. per sack, this decline will come off the original figures \$4.75. You can't go wrong. The flour is good The price is wonderful—a symbol of Saker's service.

The Chauvin Orchestra will hold a dance in the I.O.O.F. hall, Friday evening April 3, at 8.30. Usual price, Ladies free. Everybody welcome.

Cereals: wheat, oats, barley and so on: are so called from Ceres, the goddess of agriculture.

A man who has one wife too many is not necessarily a bigamist.

POUND NOTICE

To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given under section 33 of the Domestic Animals Act, Municipalities, that 1 Grey Gelding, Branded **U O over Half Diamond** on left shoulder, was impounded March 18th 1925 Also 1 Roan Steer with long horns, no visible brand, about 3 years old. were impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned located in the S.E. 1/4 4-46-2 w4th on March the 20th. 1925, and that the said animals will be offered for sale not sooner than eleven days, and not later than fifteen days after the date of such impoundment, unless the same is released by payment of all lawful fees and costs under the provisions of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities).
The date set for sale of the above animals is March 30 at 2 p.m..
E. AALBORG, Poundkeeper

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NO. 451.

NOTICE TO THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the grade on the North side of the Chauvin Bridge known as the Ottermoo Grade; and the top of the Government Grade on 26-45-2 having been abandoned, it is the intention of the Council to fence these grades off from further traffic.
A new road has been established to take the place of the abandoned grades.

L. B. NICHOLSON,
Secy-Treas

CHAUVIN FAIR LIST

"Additional Items to Ladies Work."
47. Table runner; 1.00 .50 .25
48 Pair Pillow slips
crochet edged); 1.00 .50 .25
Watch for further details next week.

CHAUVIN FLOUR MILL

SATURDAY CHOPPING
MONDAY to FRIDAY GRINDING
Same Charges As Last Year
G. G. Shantz Chauvin

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR RENT OR WILL SELL: N.E. 10-44-28 w3M. 70 acres, cultivated. House 14x28' Ap- plo 9727 95 Street, Edmonton, Alberta.

FOUND: WATCH AND CHAIN; Apply Chauvin Chronicle.

SEVERAL GOOD HORSES FOR SALE; in good shape; Apply to Alex. Taylor, nine mile north of Chauvin; N.W.30-44-1-w4 Chau-

FOR SALE: GOOD 1923 SEED Oats, Apply A. Sevigny, Chauvin, Alberta 2p

FOR SALE OR RENT: S. W. Quarter of 2-44-1-w4th. Apply box 208, Chauvin. Alta. 60

FOR SALE 300 BUSHEL OF Banner Seed Oats at 60c per bushel. Apply to Axel Gabrielson R. R. 1. Artland, Sask.

WANTED TO BUY OR TRADE: Rooster. Pure Bred Rhode Island Red (or mixed with brown Leg- horn) with large single comb. Joseph Labonte, Chauvin Alberta 562p

FOR SALE: TWO GOOD MILK Cows, fresh, George Silk, Oxville P.O.

MENTION OUR ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE: PURE BRED BAR- red Roosters, from winter laying strain. J. Craddock. Chauvin.

FOR SALE: SHORTHORN Cattle. Two pedigree Bull Calves roans. 10 months old, sired by "Village Pride" 95785; reason- able price. Strachan, Chauvin.

FOR RENT: 8 ROOMED HOUSE with shed and garage, 100 ft. frontage, good garden and lot. \$20. per month. Apply T. H. Saul Chauvin.

FOR SALE: SEED OATS, BAN- ner and Victory, Germination 97 and 98' From 60c to 70c per bush- el. Also a quantity of Barley, Also Registered Marquiss Wheat \$2.00 per bushell. E. A. Pitman, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: 1 NEARLY NEW I.H.C. Duckfoot Cultivator; E. A. Pitman. Chauvin

FOR SALE: 3 REGISTERED Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves and one 2-year old. E. A. Pitman Chauvin.

SUBSCRIPTIONS NOW PAYABLE

SAKER'S have MOVED

Ogilvie's No. 1 Flour 98 lb. 4.75
Rolled Oats 20 lbs. 1.00
Rolled Oats 40 lbs. 1.85
Shorts per 110 lbs. 1.75

Graham Flour; Whole Wheat Flour; full stock of Cereals and Feeds on Hand

Macaroni 5 lb box .65
\$1 Boxes Soda Biscuits each .80
Cream Sodas (large pkts) .25
Navy Beans (extra fine quality) 13 lbs. 1.00
Rice (finest Japan) per lb. .10
Tapioca and Sago .. 2 lbs. .25
Spices (all kinds) per tin .10

Shoes and Rubbers will be arriving shortly

Owing to our rapidly increas- ing business, and in order to give you better service, we have moved into larger quarters—the old stand of Mr. Roy—just across the street from our origi- nal place of business. In the larger premises we are equip- ped to handle your business in an even more efficient manner than before. Our stocks are more complete, giving you a larger selection of fine quality fresh merchandise at prices that will please you. This store is operated for your service. If it had not proved helpful and satisfying to you it would not exist today. Our prices, as always, are low. Quality is right. Watch our advts. Our weekly advertisements are our news reports to you—the news of the store whose duty it is to serve you well and to your en- tire satisfaction.

Sockeye Salmon tall tins each .35
Kiltie Salmon, tall tins each .20
Banquet Sardines in oil 7 for .50
Fresh Frozen Whitefish.
Salmon Trout per lb. .08
Lutefisk (special) per lb. .08
California Prunes (60-70s) at 5 lbs. for .65
Green Plume Peaches 5 lb .95
Fresh Figs 2 lbs. for .25
Fresh Dates ... 2 " .25
Loganberries, 8 oz pkt 2 for .45
Lanka Tea 3 lbs. for 2.00
Coffee (A fine Coffee) Real value per lb. .55
Sealers, Rubbers, Sealer Repairs
Spices etc. for Meat Canning

Dry Goods etc., will be carried in Stock. Watch for later Announcements

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